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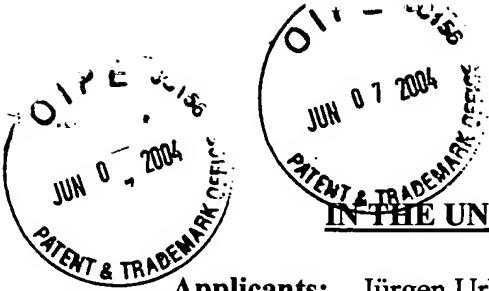
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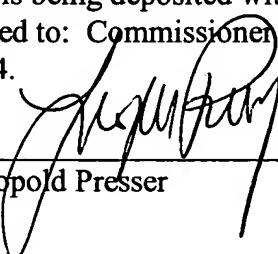
Sir:

In compliance with the provisions of C.F.R. 37 §§1.97 and 1.98, requiring the applicants to provide the United States Patent & Trademark Office with any prior art of which they are cognizant, applicants herewith enclose eight (8) publications, of which seven (7) publications were cited by the Examiner during the prosecution of the corresponding German application, the latter of which is considered to contain allowable claims.

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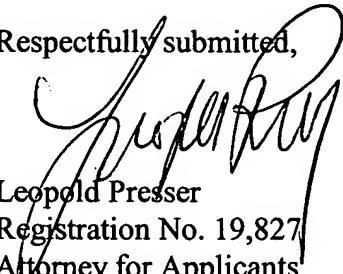
With respect to the publications, these are generally technological background material which would not be in any manner applicable to the claims as currently pending herein.

With regard to the two publications which the Examiner in Germany considers to be the closest art, applicants own U.S. printed Publication No. 2003/00760448A1 is not at all applicable to the present pending claims. Similarly, with regard to U.S. Patent 3,484,619, this also would not be applicable to the currently pending claims. In contrast with the present invention, (repetitive excitation of a resonator in the form of the cup 16 through successive discharging capacitors 13 which are to be sequentially charged up) the U.S. Patent 3,484,619 relates expressly to a system without the utilization of a resonator (Col. 3, line 19), and above all, without any capacitors which are to be charged up (Col. 3, lines 31-38). Thus, in the system pursuant to U.S. 3,484,619 it relates to a coaxial wave train with the particularity that the internal conductor thereof is interrupted a plurality of times. Consequently, capacitive charging sequences as explained are thereby avoided. As a result, this U.S. Patent 3,484,619 cannot place in question the patentability of the claims of the present application, and none of the references, whether considered singly or in combination, are deemed to be applicable or pertinent to the claims as presently on file.

Accordingly, the early and favorable examination of the application on the merits is earnestly solicited.

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		3,484,619	12/16/69	Joseph M. Proud , Jr.			
		3,535,582	10/20/70	Chester J. Kawiecki			
		3,748,528	7/24/73	Cronson			
		4,430,577	2/7/84	Bouquet			
		4,845,378	7/4/89	Garbe et al.			
		2003/0076044 A1	4/24/03	Staines, et al.			
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
						YES	NO
	DE 38 35 986 C2	6/20/91	Federal Republic of Germany				
	DE 32 16285 C2	7/24/86	Federal Republic of Germany				
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OTHER DOCUMENTS <i>(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)</i>							
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